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Marked-up version of page 3, last paragraph, as amended herein.

Figure 3A shows a [conventional prior-art] single wire draw arrangement which is used in a dryer section concept in accordance with the invention in its second group R_{II} of drying cylinders.

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Fig. 3A shows a single-wire draw which is employed in the group R_{II} of drying cylinders, i.e. the second group of drying cylinders. An ordinary drying wire H_2 has been passed from the drying cylinder K_1' onto the suction roll S_1 onto the second drying cylinder K_2' and further in the group R_{II} of drying cylinders. As shown in the figure, the suction cylinder S_1 comprises grooves u_1, u_2 on its face, in which grooves the holes a_1, a_2 passing through the mantle S' of the suction cylinder terminate. A vacuum is applied to the interior of the suction cylinder, by whose means a circumferential holding force can be applied to the web W . In the way shown in Figs. 1 and 2, blow boxes B_1 and B_2 or equivalent apparatuses that stabilize the running of the web can also be fitted in the pockets formed by the cylinders and by the suction roll.

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